

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Brian Warner et al.	)	
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For:	SOLID PHASE BASED NUCLEIC)		
	ACID ASSAY COMBINING HIGH)		
	AFFINITY AND HIGH	)	
	SPECIFICITY	)	
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**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.97-1.98**

**VIA EFS**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Applicants request reconsideration of the August 5, 2008  
Office Action